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SUBJECT: BAYULKEN APPOINTMENT AS SECRETARY-GENERAL OF PRESIDENCY

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1. CONTACTS OVER THE WEEK-END AMONG CENTO SECRETARIAT OFFICIALS INDICATED THAT BAYULKEN PLANS TO STAY ON AS SECRETARY-GENERAL, AT LEAST IN TITLE, UNTIL HE ASSUMES POST AS SECRETARY-GENERAL TO THE PRESIDENCY ON FULL-TIME BASIS SOMETIME IN AUGUST (REFTEL). PRIOR TO HIS ACCEPTING POST AS SECRETARY-GENERAL TO THE PRESIDENCY, BAYULKEN HAD INTENDED TO TAKE LEAVE UNTIL END OF JULY. ALTHOUGH HIS EXACT LEAVE PLANS ARE NOW OPEN TO QUESTION, SECRETARIAT OFFICIALS WERE TOLD ON JULY 8 THAT DEPUTY SECRETARY-GENERAL (POLITICAL AND ADMINISTRATION) SIRDAR HASSAN MAHMUD (PAKISTAN) WOULD BE IN CHARGE OF SECRETARIAT UNTIL BAYULKEN'S RESIGNATION BECOMES EFFECTIVE. ADDITIONALLY, BAYULKEN'S OFFICE TOLD US
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JULY 7 THAT NEXT COUNCIL OF DEPUTIES MEETING WOULD BE HELD INN MID-AUGUST; THIS MEETING WILL NOW PROBABLY CONSTITUTE BAYULKEN'S FARWELL TO CENTO.

2. ON MATTER OF REPLACEMENT FOR BAYULKEN, SECRETARIAT OFFICIALS HAVE INDICATED THAT IRANIANS HAVE ALREADY DESIGNATED, BUT NOT FORMALLY NOMINATED, SUCCESSOR. COMBINED MILITARY

PLANNING STAFF SOURCE TOLD US JULY 9 THAT IRANIAN CHOICE IS
"YOUNG, UP-AND-COMING" FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICER. THIS SOURCE
DID NOT KNOW HIS NAME EXCEPT THAT IT IS NOT AMBASSADOR
HOOSHANG BATMANGHLIDJ WHO HAS BEEN CONNECTED WITH CENTO
AFFAIRS FOR MANY YEARS.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION
EMBASSY TEHRAN MAY HAVE ON POSSIBLE SUCCESSOR TO BAYULKEN.
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